THURSDAY, SEP. 1, 1881 TERMS: 32 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.

When you see a BLUE Pencil mark thus X on the margin of your pa-

you will know that the time you paid for has expired, and you are respectfully requested to renew.

If the above character appears on the you will understand that you have are raging in all directions. If never paid anything, and are requested o do so at an early date.

FROM THE PRESIDENT.

that he was some better, and the physicians expressed the hope shat he might rally. This is a great relief to the people, as for The advantages claimed over previous the past week his death has been years, are the following mometarily looked for.

The Halstead Independent has again changed hands, being the fourth time within a period of our teaching force is more than 30 times. must have each grown rapidly wealthy, or thas the concern austed them all?

Bismark, Dakota Territory, and sible way. the bank officials in that region

for the Western Union Telegraph ted. company by the assassination of 4th. The expense is not more here 200,000, or enough to pay a diviis two thirds water.

his followers on the 11th inst. young friend. from the U.S. District Court at Ft. Smith, Arkansas, for the collection of the \$1,000 fine assessed to each student as well as of general to them last winter. - Caldwell interest to the school that you enter at Post.

with the Cincinnati, Southern silvantage over those who come in later, 2,700 Cherokee Indians from North the year. Come prepared and fully de They will be moved as radidly as squads of one hundred can be made up.

An item is going the rounds of the press that a farmer in Illinois belonging to citizens of this city have died Has commenced 9,000 suits against with the Texas fever within the last week, a railroad company for failing to and several more are sick. Some one has keep in their cars axes and saws been driving through cattle into the State, as required by law. The aggre- or else the town herd has been allowed to gate penalty would be \$1,800,000 range overinto the Territory where through in case the suits were decided butchers that have been trespassing the against the company, half of which quarentine law of the state, in driving catwould go to the complainant.

Here is an evidence of how one else, we cannot say just who; but to a rapidly towns spring, up in a mining district. It said an old miner it has been contracted from through cattle. in the Black Hills found some rich specimens of silver ore in an the spread of this terrible disease. Then out of the way place, and in forty- columns are open for any one to exeight hours a town of 1,000 inhabitants had sprung up. Nine saloons were in operation by the 3rd day, and on the fourth day a newspaper was started. Lots are now selling in the Embryo city at \$500 apiece.

A week ago last Wednesday, Rev. D. P. Mitchell, well known throughout the State, dropped dead of heart disease while on ROST. E. FRAYNE, the train between Halstead and Newton. At the time of his death Rev. Mitchell was one of the editors of the Topeka Daily Journal. was a candidate for Governor in 1878 and for Congress in the third District last year. He was a very able man and the Greenbackers will feel his loss greatly,

Billy Young is a persistent sort of a tellow when he makes up his mind to do a certain thing. Some Sheldon's. time ago he saw a statement in the Innex that any person having in their possession a silver dollar with eight feathers in the tail of the eagle, could get 33 fer it by sending the same to the department at Washington. There were only fifty of these dollars coined when it was discovered that an American eagle has only seven feathers in its tail. Ever since he saw the statement, Billy has closely scanned every "Roz.

The undersigned having leased the Lake City blacksmith shop of J. W. Halc, is now prepared to do all work in his line in fine shape.

Having been engaged in the shop of Josh Story for the past year, I feel consident that my work will give entire satisfaction.

Y2.7 B. T. Frazier. the eagle, could get 32 fer it by sending the same to the departhas closely scanned every "Buzzard" dollar that came into his all trains at Union depot at Kas. possession, but has been unsuccessful until last Sunday, when on time he happened to find one of the sure. original fifty. It is quite a curi-osity, and is worth preserving.—

of three hundred and forty thou-sand eagles in the treasury, and J. E. Lockwood, sand eagles in the treasury, and was nearly despairing of success
when an eight feathered tail tame
M. D. Hanry
Kanne to light .- [Hutchinson News,

The Western National Fair As. II. BLICKHAUX. Medicine Lodge, Kans., ociation offer \$25,000 in premiums. This is the largest amount of money offered by any association in the west.

A flock of 116 sheep that had huddled under a tree for shelter from a storm, at Griggsville, Ill., Motice to Delinquents. were all killed by a single discharge of electricity.- |Exchange

Cheyenne transporter paints a gloomy picture for the cattle men in that portion of the Indian Territory. It says the grass is withered and dead, and to margin of your paper in RED pencil, make matters worse, prairie fires rain does not come soon, no hay can be put up this fall for winter THE VERY LATEST NEWS use. This portion of the 'foot stool' has been singularly favored in this respect. All the hay that The latest news received from will be needed has been put up, the President last evening, was and the range is now in excellent condition for winter.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Fourth Annual session of the Normal opens Tuesday, September 6th

1st. The addition of another building with three rooms, by which means we are able to keep the three grades running separate.

2nd. The aggregate experience of eighteen weeks. The proprietors We now have the entire time of two competent assistants who will have charge of their respective departments under the inspection of the principal. The instruction in all branches will be thorough and practical, and self reli-It is [reported that the James ance, the great principle of success in years old, branded F L on let Boys are now in the vicinity of after life, will be enforced in every pos-

3rd. The grading is now nearly com are in a fever of excitement, and have guards constantly about their buildings.

The session, except the review her recovery. Clark Jones, Kiowa, Kar 20 weeks. At the begining of each 20 weeks' period. classes begining and classes completing the studies will be It is said that the business made formed, so that all may be accommoda

the president will aggregate \$1, than at other schools of a similar grade. 5th. The Boarding Club a success. dend of one and a-half per cent dents can rent rooms and board them Board is thought to be high, but stuon its present capital stock, which selves for a little more than their living costs them at home. Our boarding club during the past winter reduced their An execution was issued against expenses #1 per week. What others Oklahoma Payne and several of, have done can be done by you, my

Finally. - The time to enter. Students can enter at any time but it is the begining of the term. Classes are then being formed and your wants can The Cheyenne Transporter says then be met, better than at the middle the government has contracted who commence at the begining gain and other railways to transport which they are apt to keep throughout Carolina to the Indian Territory. termined to work and let us make this the most profitable year of our lives. Touly Yours,

A. H. MULKEY, Principal. We do not wish to discourage anyone, or An item is going the rounds of seem officious, but some one has 'put his cattle have been held. It may be our tle up to their slaughter pens, thus imparting this deadly disease, or it may be some This matter should be investigated, and that at once, and means taken to prevent

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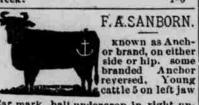
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P. O. Pond Creek Indian Territroy. Range on Wagon



Ear mark half undercrop in right un-derback in left. Rauch on Wagon creek. P O Pond creek, Indian Terri-try. 2-7-m6 GREEVER.



Ranch south of imarron, 70 miles outh of Medicine Lodge. P. O. Medicine Lodge. Ear mark, saw tooth in each ear. Some cat-tle are branded with long won left side 18



EWELL BROS. On both sides or hips. Ear marks, smooth crop off each ear. Ranch on Eagle

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chief. P.O. Klowa.

H. HODSON & CO. Known as Flaring H on right bip or shoulder Steers brande M on left side

and cross on opposite side. Range on Cold Water Indian T. PO Hutchinson, IRA BOONE. Also open A on right hip.
Ear marks, crop and 2 splits in left. Ranch on









19-m6 COBLE BROS.



JOHN KEYES. Two keyes on left side and small circle on right bip of some and on left of others. Earmarks, crop and underbit in fork in left. PO Elm Mills. 42

ESTILL BROS. On left hip, some branded same as this with bar be-low. PO sun City,





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BRANDS, EAR MARKS, EC.,

"Comanche County Pool."



Rail on either side and har un-der the tail. Ear marks — Jingle Bob in each car. Additional

Additional Brands: Heart upside down on left hip. Ear marks-wallow tork in each earon some cattle. Another lot branded II 3 on side and hip and rail on either side. Some branded 5 on side and E on left hip—crop in left underhalf crop in right Some branded H on side and H on left hip—erop and underbit each ear. Another lot H on left side. Another lot Arrow brand on left hip—split in each ear.



ADDITIONAL BRANDS.

H H H on left hip, side and neck of some cattle. enty-Four - con-nected, on left hip.

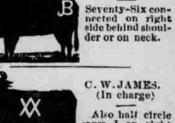


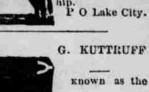


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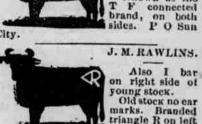






spur brand.





right hip.

hip and I bar on W. R. COLCORD Known as the



JOHN WILSON Some cattla branded Ox Yoke Won left hip. Ear each ear.



All of the above ctttle are held on Evans' range in Comanche county. Any person or persons selling or ship-ping cattle bearing these brands and marks, without legal power of attorney will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.





Enr msrks, crop off rach car, balt slope in the left. Lawrence Pep-perd's brand, same

P O Sun City